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FLOUR TO BE SOLD AT LOWER PRICES

DELIVERIES FROM USSR HELP LOWER PRICES -- Zycie Warszawy, 17 Jun 50

Flour at lower prices will be sold to small- and medium-size farmholders in areas which do not have an adequate supply of grain, that is, for Krakow and Rzeszow wojewodztwo.

The small- and medium-size farmholders with four dependents can purchase 50 kilograms of flour from the local cooperative stores. If the number of dependents is more than four, they may purchase 100 kilograms. A certain amount of flour will be sold on credit.

This grain can be sold because of planned purchases of grain surpluses and deliveries from the USSR.

BUILD NEW GELATIN FACTORY -- Trybuna Ludu, 13 Jun 50

A new gelatin factory, built in Pulawy by the Bacutil Central Office of Slaughterhouse By-Products, began operations on 10 June 1950. The factory, which will double the supply of gelatin necessary for the production of canned meat, will be expanded gradually during the next 2 years. By that time the domestic production of gelatin will be able to supply the entire Polish canning industry.

BUILD MODERN COLD-STORAGE PLANTS -- Rzeczpospolita, 13 May 50

All meat-processing plants in Warsaw have already been supplied with modern cold-storage plants which can be expanded in case of increased production.

In addition to the large plant activated recently by the Warsaw slaughterhouse, there are also cold-storage plants in Warsaw which store other products besides meat. Storage plants of this type already operating in Lublin and Slask are being built in the larger industrial and agricultural centers.

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SCORE MISMANAGEMENT OF MEAT STORES -- Zycie Warszawy, 16 Jun 50

The sanitary conditions of the Polish meat stores and the behavior of the personnel leave much to be desired. The selection of fresh as well as smoked meats in the stores is poor. Meat deliveries are frequently delayed. Delivery truck drivers lose the route schedules and leave the stores without meat.

The vehicles which deliver meat lack even the most elementary principles of sanitation; they are not screened, and little care is exercised in the unloading of the meat.

The personnel show little or no initiative in correcting the unsanitary conditions prevailing in the stores, in the handling of meat by the consignors, or in expediting the delivery of supplies.

LISTS CHANGES IN LEATHER DISTRIBUTION -- Zycie Warszawy, 7 May 50

The Minister of Domestic Trade has changed the distribution system of sole leather to urban markets, but has left the distribution system to rural communities unchanged.

Hard-sole leather will not be sold on the urban markets. The total allocated for repair purposes will be assigned to the Central Crafts Administration, which, in agreement with the Board of Trade, will distribute the leather to shoe-repair shops.

Each shop is required to keep a record confirmed by the customer that the leather was used for repair purposes. After reporting the consumption of allocated leather, each shop will receive a supply, a certain percentage of which will be unrestricted.

The Central Crafts Administration will supply shoe repair shops.

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